

The Daily Courant.

Saturday, June 2. 1705.

Lisbon, May 25.

THE 8th of May, the same Day Valenza d' Alcantara was taken, the Conde das Galveas sent hither his Son Don Pedro de Mello de Castro, Lieutenant General of the Horse, to give his Majesty an Account of the taking of that Place: He arriv'd at Court on the 10th; and his Majesty immediately gave Order to the Archbishop of Lisbon, and the Bishop chief Chaplain of his Council of State, to cause Thanks to be return'd for this Success to God the Giver of Victory, in all the Churches of this City: His Majesty likewise order'd publick Rejoycings to be made: Also in Consideration of the good Service done by the Conde das Galveas, and in Recompence of the Fatigue undergone by Don Pedro de Mello de Castro in coming Post with this News his Majesty has honour'd him with the Title of Count.

After the Marquis das Minas had taken Salvaterra, he had Intelligence, that in Sarca (which is one of the wealthiest and most populous Towns of that part of the Country) the Regiment of French of Sillery was quarter'd; and that a considerable number of the Inhabitants were appointed to assist them to defend that place; whereupon he march'd thither with all the Horse, and 5 Tercias of Foot; but the French and arm'd Inhabitants of Sarca, being inform'd by a Party they sent out for Intelligence, that the Marquis was advancing to attack them, they abandon'd the place with Precipitation, and by the help of some Boats retir'd over the River Alegao. The Marquis gave the Pillage of the Town (which was very considerable) to his Soldiers; and permitted a great number of Portuguese Peasants who enter'd with the Troops, to plunder with them, to make themselves some amends for the great Damage they had suffer'd from those of Sarca the last Campaign. After which he caus'd the Houses to be burnt, and the Walls of the Town to be demolish'd.

In Sarca were found 3 Pieces of Cannon mounted, one of Brass a twelve Pounder, and 2 very good ones of Iron; 180 Baggage Waggons, all with the Arms of the Duke of Anjou upon them, but without Wheels, the French having broken them that they might not be useful to us.

The Portuguese Paper of which this is a Translation, refers to an Account given by the same Hand of the Manner of taking Salvaterra, and to that Account (which by Accident is not yet come to our Hands) adds the following Paragraphs.

The Spanish Garrison of Salvaterra was commanded by Don Antonio Lopez Galhardo, the Number of Prisoners taken in that Place was 363; of which 48 are Officers, and among them are 2 Majors, viz. Don Joseph Gomes Belvadro, and Don Pedro Quintanilha; one Lieutenant Colonel nam'd Don Joaon Agriano; and 6 Captains: The rest are Lieutenants, Ensigns, and Serjeants.

In the said Place were found above 13000 Bushels of Barley; and great store of Meal and Biscuit. From which great Quantity of Provisions, and the Number of Waggons taken in Sarca, we conjecture that the Enemy intended to make an Irruption some where in those Parts, with a considerable Force. On which Consideration this Success of the Army of Beira, is the more important.

In the Approaches before Salvaterra, we lost in the Attack of the Covert-Way 32 Soldiers kill'd, and had 46 wounded, some by Bullets others by Stones; 3 Captains of Foot were wounded, and one of the Tercia of Don Joaon Manoel mortally. Of the Spaniards that defended the Place, but few were kill'd; and the Number of their wounded did not exceed 20.

Lisbon, May 25. Letters from the Camp before Albuquerque dated the 20th Instant, inform us, that a sufficient Breach being made in the Place that day, and also 2 Mines being carried on to the Wall, it was intended to storm it the next; but before Noon the Besieged hung out several Flags and beat a Parley, and at 7 a Clock at Night the Articles of Capitulation were sign'd, pursuant to which the Garrison was to march out with all the Marks of Honour and one Cannon, and to be conducted the 21st or 22d to Merida. The Allies had not above Sixty Men kill'd or wounded in this Siege. One of these Letters adds, That the Spanish and French Army commanded by the Marshal de Thesse (according to the best Accounts) did not consist of more than 7000 Foot and 3 or 4000 Horse, and lay encamp'd in the neighbourhood of Alcantara; not daring to advance against the Allies, because extremely inferior to them in Foot. And that the Generals of the Army of the Allies would in all probability be induc'd to Badajox, by these following Considerations, viz. that they may be furnish'd with Artillery, and Stores of Ammunition, and Provisions from Elvas, Olivenza, and Cam-po Mayor, those being 3 Frontier Towns of Portugal, situate about 3 Leagues from Badajox; and that if the Place fall into their Hands, (of which there is little Cause to Doubt,) they will have a large Country from lenza d'Alcantara thither, in which the Troops may be quarter'd during the great Heats, and be ready early for the next Season of taking the Field.

Falmouth, May 28. Yesterday arriv'd here the Alliance Pacquet Boat Captain John Green Commander from Lisbon, in 10 days; and the Fortune from Barbadoes with an Express, in 38 days. To day arriv'd here the Expedition Packet-Boat from Lisbon, Captain Francis Clyes Commander, in 21 Day; In her Voyage she fought a French Privateer of 26 Guns, and made her sheer off.

Plymouth, May 29. Yesterday came in Her Majesty's Ship the Rye-Galley and Suffolk Hag-Boat from Bristol; and under their Convoy 8 Sail of Ships, 1 from Virginea, 1 from

Neyis, and 6 laden with Timber, &c. This Day fail'd the Rye-Galley, and 6 or 8 Sail under her Convoy to the Eastward. Here are now in this Port, Her Majesty's Ships the Triton, Suffolk Hag-Boat, and Triton's Prize. Also 3 Dutch Men of War.

Members chosen for the ensuing Parliament,

Norfolk, Sir John Holland, Kt. The Rt. Honourable Townsford, Esq;

Dorsetshire, Tho. Strangeways, Tho. Chafin. Esqs; Flint-Town, Sir Roger Mestyn, Kt.

The Poll for the County of Surry, was as follows.

Sir Richard Onslow, Kt.	3036
Sir William Scawen, Kt.	1803
Edward Harvey, Esq;	1638

Flint-County, Sir John Conway, Kt.

Exeter, Sir Edward Seymour, Kt. ---Snell, Esq.

The following Period, beginning in the 7th Line of the 1st Column of Yesterday's Courant, should have ran thus :

The Generals of this Army are, the Conde de la Corfana, the Earl of Gallway, who commands the English Troops; and Baron Fagel, who commands the Dutch; all jointly i. e. have equal Authority.

AT the Theatre Royal in Drury-Lane, this present Saturday the 2d Day of June, will be presented A Comedy, call'd, The Careless Husband, with several Entertainments of Singing in English and Italian, by Mrs. Tofts, and Dancing by Mrs. Cross and others.

AT the Queen's Theatre in the Hay-Market, this present Saturday the 2d. of June, will be presented the Tragedy of Othello: Moor of Venice, being the last time of Acting in this Season.

These Plays are Sold by Richard Wellington at the Dolphin and Crown in St. Paul's Church-yard where you may have most Novels.

Left in an Hackney Coach, on Wednesday Night last, that took up two Gentlemen at Stocks-Market, betwixt the Hours of 11 and 12 at Night, and drove from thence to Northumberland House, a Scarlet Cloak without Trimming: If the Coachman will bring, or send the same to Mr. Sutcliff Druggist, at the golden Anchor at Hartshorn-lane in the Strand, near Charing-Cross, he shall receive Thirty Shillings Reward, or if Pawn'd, or Sold, the Money shall be return'd.

This Day at Tom's Coffee-house adjoining to Ludgate, will be sold by Auction, a Collection of curious Italian, French and other Prints, by the best Masters, beginning exactly at 6 in the Evening. Among the Prints are Titian's Emperors and Empresses by Sadler, Van Dijk's Postures by P. Lombard, Edelink's Crucifix in a Sheet finely printed, 50 of Van Dijk's Heads of the first printing, and other choice Prints. Catalogues may be had at Oliver's Coffee-house at Westminster-hall Gate, at Squire's Coffee-house in Fuller's-Rents in Holbourn, at the Temple-Change Coffee-house in Fleetstreet, near Temple-bar, and at the place of Sale, where the Prints and Drawings may be view'd at any time of the day before he Sale begins.

For Sale by the Candle, at the Marine Coffee-house in Birch-lane, on Wednesday the 6th of June, 1705. at 3 a Clock in the Afternoon, 130 Hogsheads of Prize White-wine, to be seen at Smart's Key Gateway, till the time of Sale. Also on Thursday the 7th of June, will be publickly sold at the time and place above-mention'd, 330 Hogsheads of new Pontac and Morgose Wine, to be seen in Buttolph Wharf Gateway in Thamesstreet, till the time of Sale. Catalogues may be had at the Outroper's-Office on the Royal-Exchange, and at the place of Sale.

Dr. William Read, Her Majesty's principal Oculist, Couch'd on May the 24th, 1705. The Wife of Mr. Tho. Willis, a Relation of the late famous Dr. Willis's at Oxford, and instantly brought her to perfect Sight, which Cure is very much taken notice of in the University, she being 66 Years of Age, and 15 Years Blind: He also Couch'd at the same Place with the like Success, Mrs. Stacy, Mr. William Cook, Mrs. Sherlock, Mrs. Such, Mrs. Day, Mrs. Simms, with many more cured of the most difficult Distempers incident to the Eyes, (too many here to be insert'd.) Note, Dr. Read daily cures the Poor, and Soldiers, and Seamen in Her Majesty's Service gratis, and Monsieur Girard not under great Sums of Money, and as often fails as any that ever profess the Art of Couching in England.

The Indian Drops are now made publick for the benefit of Children and others, whose nicer Stomachs will not bear the taking of Pills, Powders, &c. being delightful to the Eye, and pleasant to the Taste, yet so safe and effectual, that they may be given to the youngest and tenderest Constitution, they utterly destroy Worms, be there never so many in all sorts of Persons, cleansing the Blood from all Impurities whatsoever, they create an Appetite, help Digestion, cheer the Spirits, render the whole Body lively and vigorous, and the Countenance fresh and clear: In short, they are most prevalent against Dropsy, Scurvy, Cholick, Agues, Stoppage of Urine, Jaundice, Green-sickness and other Diseases, where opening Medicines are requir'd, working so gently by Stool and Urine, that they may be taken without any Confinement. They are only to be had at Mr. Johnson's a Haberdasher of Hats at a Sword-cutter's Shop the corner of Exchange-Alley over against the Exchange in Cornhill, at Mr. Dighton's at the City of Seville next door to the King's Head Tavern at Chancery-lane-end in Fleetstreet Perfumer, and at Mr. Housler's at the Crown in St. Alban's-street near Pall-mall Goldsmith, price 2 s. per Bottle, containing several Doses seal'd up, the Seal representing a Person falling from a Precipice, and an Arm sustaining it, with this inscription, A Carlo Salus. With Directions in English and French.

This day is publish'd,

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